



Construction Dust Partnership - Tackling serious lung disease in construction

Ensure you have the correct measures in place



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Free Webinar:

Respiratory Hazards in the Construction Industry ~ 23 August

On the **23rd August** the Construction Dust Partnership (CDP) will host a free webinar focussing on respiratory hazards in the construction industry. The primary focus will be on silica dust and the hierarchy of controls which can be used to reduce respiratory hazards on site. Presented by Technical Specialists, the webinar will also delve into the CDP's role and mission and further resources which are available.

The webinar commences at **12pm** and will last for 45 minutes, allowing for additional questions at the end.

To book please register [here](#).

Workplace Healthy Lung Summit ~ 22 November



Lung disease remains a serious problem in the workplace contributing to an estimated 12,000 deaths a year and thousands more with limiting conditions. The Summit will describe what HSE is doing about it, what you can do about it and what science and evidence can tell us.

For more information and to book your place please click [here](#).

The CDP's aim is:

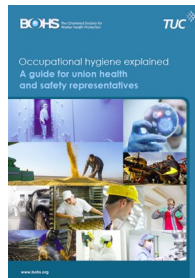
To raise awareness within the construction industry about lung diseases related to construction dust in the workplace, and to promote the appropriate controls to prevent these diseases. Find more resources and advice at our [Construction Dust website](#).

The CDP includes the following organisations who all share the same goal.

Occupational Hygiene Explained

The BOHS and TUC have produced a guide that explains the importance of occupational hygiene and the role it plays in protecting workers. Primarily aimed at union health and safety representatives it outlines how health risks should be managed and what to expect from an occupational hygienist.

You can download the guide [here](#).



Hire Association Europe (HAE) - Technical Bulletins



HAE 'SafeHire' Auditors are ensuring that their members carry sufficient dust capture options and "task matched" dust extraction.

Check out the HAE's Technical Bulletins on Dust Management and other matters [here](#).



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